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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

CLIENT-MATTER NO.: 66654-604 (P-LJ 4575)

SERIAL NO: 09/765,086

FILING DATE: January 17, 2001 EXAMINER: M. Yu GROUP ART UNIT: 1642 CONFIRMATION NO.: 6131

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CHIMERIC PROSTATE-HOMING PEPTIDES WITH PRO-

APOPTOTIC ACTIVITY ,

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By: <u>Andrea L. Gashler, Reg. No. 41,029</u>

June 2, 2003 Date of Signature

Transmitted herewith is a response to the Office Action mailed January 13, 2003, in the above-identified application.

- _X Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27.
- \underline{X} Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed (in duplicate).
- ____ Terminal Disclaimer with fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d) is enclosed.
- \underline{X} One executed Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131, with attached Exhibits 1 and 2.
- X Request for Continued Examination, in duplicate.
- \underline{X} Communication pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.85, with attached new figures 2 and 3 and a marked up copy of old figures 2 and 3.
- \underline{X} No additional claims fee is required.
- ___ An additional claims fee is required and has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	NUMBER AFTER		HIGHEST NUMBER		NUMBER OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENTED		RATE		FEE		
	AMEND- MENT		PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR				SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY		SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY
TOTAL CLAIMS	17	-	22	-	0	×	\$9	\$18	=	\$	\$
INDEPEN- DENT CLAIMS	3	-	3	_	0	x	\$42	\$84	= '	\$	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM		_	YES		XNO		\$140	\$280	13	\$	\$
							TOTAL ADDITION			\$0.00	\$

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- Y Please charge my Deposit Account No. 502624 the amount of \$580.00, \$205.00 of which covers the fee for a two-month extension of time and \$375.00 of which covers the fee for the Request for continued examination. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502624. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 502624 any fees under 37 CFR 1.17 which may be required under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) for an extension of time in any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Our Docket: 66654-604 (P-LJ 4575)

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In re Application of Ruoslahti et al.

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COMMUNICATION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.85

The Examiner has noted that Figure 2 contains seven panels, while the description in the specification refers only to two panels, a and b. The Examiner has further noted that Figure 3 contains only two panels, while the description in the specification of this figure refers to four panels, a through d.

Applicants submit herewith new Figures 2 and 3 to correct an obvious error in the specification wherein Figures 2 and 3 were inadvertently switched. In particular, Applicants submit herewith new Figure 2, which corresponds to panels a and b of original Figure 3. Also submitted herewith is new Figure 3, which corresponds to panels a to d of Figure 2 as originally filed. Panels e to q of originally filed Figure 2

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have been deleted to conform with the original figure legend in the specification.

Further submitted herewith are copies of the original drawings for Figures 2 and 3 with changes to the drawings indicated in red ink in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.85. Applicants respectfully request that this separate paper be considered and the new drawings entered.

Respectfully submitted,

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